

2025 Women In Leadership Summit Program

Morning Session

TIME	SESSIONS	DETAILS
8:00 AM - 9:00 AM	Registration & Networking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants check-in and network
9:00 AM - 9:30 AM	Opening Remarks + Keynote Speech	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keynote Speech
9:30 AM - 10:30 AM	<p>'CEO Roundtable' Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mapula Bodibe, CEO, MTN Rwanda Nathalie Munyampenda, CEO -KEPLER Belinda Bwiza, CEO - One Acre Fund, Rwanda Denise Umunyana, Co-Founder, Right Seat Iris Irumva, CEO -Lead Access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A mentorship-style panel featuring five female CEOs, sharing their journeys, lessons learned, mistakes made, and the character traits they built to succeed.
10:50 AM - 11:45 AM	<p>'Men As Allies' Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dr Elisee Kamanzi, Head, Entrepreneurship & Enterprise growth, Mastercard Foundation, Henry Obike, Chief innovation office at I&M bank Rwanda Nicolas Emame, Senior communications professional 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A practical, action-oriented panel where male leaders share specific steps they're taking to support equal opportunities for women.
11:45 AM - 12:30 PM	Debate: Surprise guests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An insightful and engaging debate designed to spark action and fun audience contributions focusing on accelerating women's progress (exact theme details will be revealed during the session)

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Afternoon Session

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1:45 PM - 2:00 PM	Icebreaker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A quick, energizing activity to reconnect and prepare for the workshops.
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Workshop 1: Women & Wealth: The Blueprint for Financial Mastery- Facilitator: Anemone Basabakwinshi , Certified coach and Chairperson, Lead Access	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smart investing and intentional financial planning for financial freedom.
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3:05 PM - 4:05 PM	Workshop 2: Mastering Career Growth: Strategies for Success - Facilitator: Dr Lanre Olusola Founder and Chief Catalyst, OLCA Coaching Ltd.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing key skills and strategies to advance to your next level.
4:05 PM - 4:25 PM	Closing remarks - UN Women Country Representative in Rwanda Jennet Kem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Call to action & closing remarks focused on turning insights into tangible next steps.
4:25pm- 4:35 PM	Wrap up & Vote of thanks - Host	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Acceleration Action Pose + Giant Group Photo Op
4:35 PM- 5:00 PM	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business Networking